GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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HYGIENIC LATRINE
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the separate percentage of the House Hold (HH) with Sanitary Latrine, P.C. of H.H. with pit latrine, H.H. with other latrine and H.H. without latrine in the country according to 2001 Census, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government proposes to take special programmes in addition to the existing ones to provide hygienic latrine in each of the family;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the time by which the goal is likely to be achieved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELPMENT (SHRI CHANDRA SEKHAR SAHU)

(a)A Statement indicating the percentage of the House Hold with water closet, pit latrine, other latrine and House Hold without latrine in the country (rural & urban) according to 2001 Census, State-wise is enclosed.

(b)&(c) The ongoing programme, Total Sanitation Campaign aims to provide sanitary latrine to each family in the rural area. It is being implemented with district as unit and is currently going on in the rural areas of the 572 districts of the country.

(d) The goal is to achieve universal sanitation in the rural areas of the country by AD 2012.